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Historical Pres. Ordinance Reading Set

From P&D Staff Reports

The Yankton County Commission will give a first reading today (Tuesday) to a proposed historic preservation

It would create a historic preservation commission for the county.

The focus of the body will be to restore and preserve the Mead Building. However, the scope of the board would not be limited to the restoration project.

In other business, the county will discuss the burn ban, load limits on roads and a new Extension employee.

The commission meeting begins at 3:30 p.m. in the Commission Chambers of the Yankton County Government Cen-

Czech Days Costume Event Saturday

TABOR — The Tabor Chamber of Commerce is holding a Czech Day costume exchange/sale on Saturday, May 10, at the Tabor Community Center from 9-11:30 a.m. Bring in your unused or outgrown costumes to the Center before 9 a.m. For more information, call 463-2482

RiverWalk BBQ Tickets Are On Sale

Yankton RiverWalk will kick off its new year with the installation of 15 new sculptures on Friday, May 9, followed by an artist celebration at the Old Mill (106 Capital Street). A barbecue and social begins at 5:30 p.m., and music by Bill and Monte will start at 6 p.m. There will also be a silent auction with many items available.

Yankton's current street sculptures will be brought into the Old Mill for the celebration. Created by top artists throughout the Midwest, the sculptures will be available for viewing and for purchase. Many of the artists will be present to discuss

Tickets may be purchased from South Dakota Magazine. The ticket includes a BBQ dinner and entertainment by Bill and Monte. Proceeds go to the RiverWalk project, a 501(c)3 organization. Call 660-5989 with questions or to purchase tickets.

The RiverWalk Committee says the artist celebration and other fundraisers, along with support from the city and business sponsorships, have made the street sculpture project a

Piano Students To Perform Recital

The piano students of Muriel Kaufman will present a recital of solos and duets at 2 p.m. Sunday, May 11, at Calvary Baptist Church in Yankton.

Students participating are Jewel, Micah and Zadok Decker, Sydnee Serck, Abe and Thea Chance, Madison Gutzman, Paige Hoesing and Madelyn, Jillian and Lauren Eidsness. The public is invited.

Library To Offer Facebook Class

The Yankton Community Library, 515 Walnut, will offer a "Facebook for Beginners" class at 2 p.m. Thursday, May 20. This class will go over the basics of sharing photos, "poking," adding friends, "liking" and privacy settings. It is de-

signed for people who already have a Facebook account. If you do not have an account, arrive between 1:45-2 p.m. so we can assist you in setting one up. Personal computers are strongly recommended but not required.

The class is free of charge but limited to 17 participants. We ask that you please call the library or register in person at the circulation desk by Friday, May 16.

For more information, contact the library at 668-5276.

SD Mobile Election App Launches

PIERRE — South Dakota voters now have a new, free-todownload, mobile application to help prepare them for all upcoming elections. The Vote605 mobile app is part of a more digital user-friendly initiative set in place by Secretary of State Jason Gant

"Vote605 is a comprehensive online voter tool with features to find out if they are registered to vote, map out their polling place, and view a sample of their ballot," said Gant.

Voters, who download the app, may also enter their name into the system to access personalized data such as: party affiliation, county of registration, and your ward and precinct information.

The app is designed to provide a voter with information they need for verifying registration and viewing sample ballots for upcoming elections," said Gant.

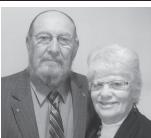
Secretary Gant further explains that the Vote605 application will be particularly useful in the June primary, and the November general elections because polling places may change throughout the state.

With the mapping function on Vote605 every voter will receive directions to their polling place," Gant said

The newly re-designed Secretary of State website is also available with information optimized for smaller screens like tablets and smartphones.

The mobile application is now available, and free to download through the Google Play Store, and the iTunes App Store. For more information, contact the office of the South Dakota Secretary of State at (605) 773-3537 or visit www.sdsos.gov/.

50th Anniversary Celebration



Mr. and Mrs. Miller Mr. and Mrs. Larry and

SD, will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary on April 18, 2014. Larry and Connie were

married on April 18, 1964. Their family is hosting an open house from

1:30 - 4:00 p.m., May 10, 2014, at the Blue Moon in Armour, SD. Please stop by Connie Miller of Armour, to help them celebrate.



Top Gifts for Mom

May 1-11! Receive 20% off these top five Mother's Day styles: Turn Lock Wallet, Pleated Shoulder Bag, Tablet Tote,

> Turn Lock Satchel and Hanging Organizer. While quanities last. See store associate for details.



Honored Officers



From left: Cpl. Brad Parker and officers Jeremy McNinch, Rob Buechler and Monty Rothenberger were recognized during a banquet May 1 in Deadwood as the South Dakota Police Chiefs' Association's Officers of the Year. The four Yankton police officers worked together to rescue a drowning woman in July 2013.

Recycling More Convenient For Mount Marty College

Mount Marty College officials recently learned that the school will receive 40 recvcling bins designed specifically for placement around campus as part of a national recycling bin grant made possible by Keep America Beautiful (KAB) and The Coca-Cola

In its ninth year, the Coca-Cola/KAB Recycling Bin Grant Program is providing nearly 4,500 recycling bins to colleges and universities, nonprofits and local governments, with 35 percent of the total to be used by students in collegiate residence halls.

Mount Marty College Chief Operations Officer Greg Heine is thankful for the new recycling bins. "We are extremely grateful to Keep America Beautiful and The Coca-Cola foundation for these bins. We have a large area on this campus to ensure that all materials that are recyclable end up that way. With the education that is planned because of this award, and the ongoing awareness this will create, we are optimistic our efforts to increase recycling campus-wide will be successful."

Coca-Cola has expanded its investment in the bin grant program to include a specific focus on two-year community colleges, with 15 recycling bin grants going to two-year colleges and 28 grants going to traditional fouryear colleges and universities.

At Mount Marty College, a plan will be implemented that not only focuses on the daily act of recycling, but will also include education outreach by Keep Yankton Beautiful.

"Through this program and our more than

50-year partnership with Keep America Beautiful, we are helping to ensure that communities understand the importance of recycling,' said Lori George Billingsley, vice president, community relations, Coca-Cola North America. "Community recycling not only impacts the environment today, but it helps build sustainable communities for the future.'

"By providing recycling bins to communities, organizations and universities, we can make a difference in increasing recycling in the U.S. and help overcome a main barrier of recycling — convenience," said Brenda Pulley, senior vice president, recycling, Keep America Beautiful. "We are truly grateful for Coca-Cola's continued support and commitment to recycling, and the Recycling Bin Grant Program."

Recipients were chosen by Keep America Beautiful based on criteria including the extent of their need, recycling experience and their ability to sustain the program in the future. Special outreach was made to colleges and universities through a partnership with the College and University Recycling Coalition (CURC), a membership organization serving campus recy cling managers.

The Coca-Cola/KAB Recycling Bin Grant Program awards recycling bins directly to recipients and leverages volume buying discounts. Since 2007, the program has placed more than 35,000 recycling bins in over 500 communities across the U.S. A full list of the spring 2014 Recycling Bin Grant recipients and further information about the grant program is available at http://bingrant.org

Recruitment **Assistance Available For Rural Health Facilities**

PIERRE — Applications are being sought for a state government program that helps rural medical facilities in South Dakota recruit nurses, pharmacists, physical therapists and other health professionals.

The Rural Healthcare Facility Recruitment Assistance Program was launched in 2012 as part of Gov. Dennis Daugaard's South Dakota Workforce Initiatives (SD WINS). It provides \$10,000 incentive payments to eligible health professionals who complete three-year service commitments in communities up to 10,000 people.

"Recruiting health professionals is an ongoing challenge for our rural facilities," the governor said. "The recruitment assistance program is one tool the state can offer to help rural health facilities and we're pleased so many communities find it helpful.'

Since 2012, the program has helped place 120 applicants in hospitals, nursing facilities and home health agencies in 49 towns across South Dakota. Participating health professionals included nurses, occupational therapists, physical therapists, paramedics, pharmacists, respiratory therapists, dietitians, medical laboratory professionals and radiologic technologists.

The cost of the \$10,000 incentive payment is split between the state and the employing facility, with health facilities in smaller communities paying a smaller share. The state covers 75 percent of the total for communities up to 2,500 people and 50 percent for those larger than 2,500 people.

Applications must be submitted by the employing health facility. The application period begins May 1. Application forms and additional information can be found on the state Department of Health website at ruralhealth.sd.gov.

OBITUARIES

LuVerne Weier

LuVerne A. Weier, 82 of Albuquerque, NM and native of South Dakota, died January 12, 2014.

Mass of Christian Burial will be 10:00 a.m. Saturday, May 10, 2014 at St. Boniface/Idylwilde Catholic Church, rural Freeman, SD.

Arrangements by Hofmeister Jones Funeral Home,

LuVerne Adam Weier was born on February 14, 1931 on the family farm near Freeman, SD in Turner County to John and Christina (Goettertz) Weier. He received his elementary education at District #47 and Hurley High School. He enlisted into the US Air

Force and made the service his career. While on active duty he served in Turkey and France. He retired from the Air Force in 1972, after 20 years of service, as staff sergeant. He went into civil service in New Mexico as Army Military Police guarding ammo depots. He lived his remaining years in Albuquerque, NM.

He was preceded in death by his parents, 7 brothers and 5 sisters.

He is survived by a brother Jerome (Helen) Weier of Hurley, SD and a host of nieces and nephews. www.hofmeisterjones.com/.

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Gerald 'Shorty' Schmoldt

Funeral services for Gerald "Shorty" Schmoldt, 90, of Bloomfield, Nebraska, are pending at Brockhaus Funeral Home in Bloomfield.

Shorty died Saturday, May 3, 2014, at the Good Samaritan Society in Bloomfield.

Bonnie Krause

Bonnie Kay Krause, 65, for-merly of Columbus, Nebraska, and Yankton, died Sunday, Nov. 18, 2012, in Sioux Falls.

A Memorial Mass will be 2 p.m. Thursday, May 8, 2014, at St. Michael's Catholic Church in Albion, Nebraska, with Fr. Stan Schmit officiating. Inurnment will follow at St. Michael's Catholic Cemetery.

Levander Funeral Home of Albion is in charge of arrangements. Condolences may be sent to the family at www.levanderfuneralhome.com.

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to display the flags of all 50 states

* Refreshments will be served



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